

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 315

By Finney R.

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Kerry Sanders, 2007
Salutatorian of Covenant Christian Academy.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Kerry Sanders is one such exceptional student who was recently named Salutatorian of the 2007 graduating class at Covenant Christian Academy; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Mr. Sanders has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in his remarkable high school career, Kerry has earned an exemplary 3.80 grade point average; and

WHEREAS, in addition to his status as a stellar scholar, this exceptional young man has earned numerous other accolades, including being named Student of the Month; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Sanders is an avid sports enthusiast and was a valuable member of his school's Golf and Basketball teams; and

WHEREAS, Kerry Sanders has evidenced a strong commitment to public service and good citizenship and volunteers his time and considerable talents to such worthy causes as Habitat for Humanity, in addition to working with a youth group at his church; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Sanders's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for his success as a student at Walters State Community College; and

WHEREAS, Kerry's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for his parents, Tom and Denise Sanders, his school, and his community; and

WHEREAS, Kerry Sanders's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby honor and commend Kerry Sanders, 2007 Covenant Christian Academy Salutatorian, on his impressive academic achievement and extend to him our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.